GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:567
ANSWERED ON:04.12.2003
FUNDS FROM IDBI FOR GAS BASED POWER PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Andhra Pradesh has sought Union Government`s intervention or guarantee for securing funds from IDBI or otherwise for the three gas based power plants at Kouaseema, Vemagiri and Gautami;

(b) if so, the details thereof and response of the Union Government thereto; and

(c) the details of gas based power plants under consideration/implementation in Madhya Pradesh and other States?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) : No guarantee from the Government of India (Ministry of Power) for securingfunds for the three gas based power projects being implemented through the private Sector, has been sought by the Government of Andhra Pradesh. However, Government of Andhra Pradesh have sought assistance of Ministry of Finance for financial closure of4 Gas Based Projects i.e. 445 MW Konaseema Power Project, 370 MW Vemagiri Power Project; 464 MW Gautami Power Project and 220 MW Jegurupadu Extension Project.

(b) : Ministry of Finance have informed that Industrial Bank of India (IDBI) haveapproved financial assistance to Konaseema EPS Oakwell Power Ltd. (Konaseema) andPhase-II of GVK Industries Ltd. (GVK), being set up in Andhra Pradesh subject tofulfillment of certain conditions relating to payment security.

(c) : The details of gas based power projects under consideration/implementation for commissioning during Tenth Plan in various States including Madhya Pradesh are furnished at Annexure-I.
Annexure-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.567 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA O 4.12.2003.

GAS BASED THERMAL POWER PROJECTS TARGETTED/ ANTICIPATED FOR COMMISSIONING DURING 10TH PLAN

State & Project Name	Implementing Agency	Capacity(MW) benefits As per original target
Andhra Pradesh		
Konaseema CCPP	Konaseema EPS OPL	445
Vemagiri CCPP	Vemagiri Power Gen Ltd	370
Gautami CCPP	Gautami Power Limited	464
Jegurupadu CCPP Extn	GVK Industries	220
Assam		
Lakwa WH	Assam State Elecy Board	38
Karnataka		
Bidadi CCPP	Karnataka Power Corpn Ltd.	1400 #
Hassan CCPP	Hassan Power Co.	189 @
Madhya Pradesh		
Guna CCPP	M/s STI Power India Ltd.	430 #
Maharashtra		

Dabhol CCPP-II	Dabhol Power Co.	1444
Pondicherry		
Karaikkal CCPP	PPCL	100 @
Rajasthan		
Mathania ISCC	RRECL	140
Tamil Nadu		
Karuppur CCPP	Aban Power Co.Ltd	119.8 #
Kuttalam CCPP	Tamil Nadu Elecy Board	37
Valantharavai CCPP	Arkay Energy Ltd	38 #
Tripura		
Monarchak CCPP	NEEPCO	500

CCPP : Combined Cycle Power Project
WH : Waste Heat
ISCC : Integrated solar combined cycle